#### BREATH TEST OPERATOR RECERTIFICATION—8000

Due to the introduction in areas of the Commonwealth of the new model Intoxilyzer 8000 Breath Testing Instrument (and the subsequent removal of the Intoxilyzer 5000 EN from those areas), agencies will need to mandate that their officers' attend the in-classroom, 4 hour instrument recertification course when it is scheduled to be in your area.

The 5000 EN Breath Testing Instrument will still be utilized in some areas and will also be the instrument used to train new breath test operators in Richmond. The on-line or distant learning recertification course will still train the use of the 5000 EN. Thus, breath test operators throughout Kentucky will actually, in time, be certified on two different instruments. An officer must be currently certified on the Intoxilyzer 5000 EN to be able to attend the "hands on" classroom recertification to be certified on the Intoxilyzer 8000.

With the Kentucky State Police Central Lab and the Department of Criminal Justice DUI Enforcement Section working together, the officers in an area will be certified to operate the Intoxilyzer 8000 when they attend their area's training class. This will be the only opportunity for the officer to train in their area on this instrument! After the training, and upon approval of the KSP, the new instruments will be placed in the areas throughout the state. At that time, the Intoxilyzer 5000 EN will be removed, making the Intoxilyzer 8000 the only breath testing instrument available to the officers in that area. Again, this is the only time that training will be available in your area for your officers to become certified on the Intoxilyzer 8000. Officers who are assigned to attend a classroom recertification course must attend on the day and time that they were assigned! If the assigned time is missed, the officer will need to reschedule for another region to obtain certification and this is a policy that will be strictly adhered to.

Beginning January 2012, the 40-hour Basic Breath Test Operator Course will certify officers on both the Intoxilyzer 5000 EN and Intoxilyzer 8000.

If you have any questions, or we can help you in anyway, please call the Department of Criminal Justice Training at (859) 622-2309.

## 2012:

Northern KY January
Hazard March
Louisville April
Bowling Green May
Paducah July
Richmond August
Richmond September

### 2013 (Tentative month):

Richmond January
Owensboro April
Madisonville April/May
E-Town May
Boyd County June/July
Somerset September

# **DATES/LOCATIONS FOR INTOXILYZER 8000 TRAINING – 2012:**

DOCJT REGISTRATION FORM 29-1 REQUIRED TO APPLY FOR BELOW TRAINING SESSIONS. CONFIRMATION WILL BE SENT UPON ENROLLMENT IN THE APPROVED/CONFIRMED SESSION.

The last recertification courses being offered during 2012 will be in Richmond, Kentucky August 7 and 8, 2012. Any certified operator who will have their status on the Intoxilyzer 8000 expire prior to January 2013 should attend one of the training sessions in Richmond. If an operator's certification on the Intoxilyzer 8000 is allowed to terminate, that operator will be required to attend a 40 hour certification course in order to become recertified.

#### LOCATION/DATES FOR RICHMOND AREA

A.M. Session: 0293M-11J P.M. Session: 0293A-11J 11-14-12 0800-1200 1300-1700

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